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Question 1 C

Cosine Rule

$$\begin{aligned} a^2 &= b^2 + c^2 - 2bc \cos A \\ \Rightarrow a^2 &= 8^2 + 7^2 - 2 \times 8 \times 7 \times \cos 110^\circ \\ \Rightarrow a^2 &= 64 + 49 - 112 \times \cos 110^\circ \\ \Rightarrow a^2 &= 113 - 112 \times \cos 110^\circ \\ \Rightarrow a &= \sqrt{113 - 112 \times \cos 110^\circ} \\ \text{Since } \sin 20^\circ &= -\cos 110^\circ \\ \text{Then } a &= \sqrt{113 + 112 \sin 20^\circ} \end{aligned}$$

Question 3 B

The intersection of the two asymptotes for the hyperbola is $(-3, 2)$.

Hence, the equation of the hyperbola is

$$\frac{(x+3)^2}{9} - \frac{(y-2)^2}{4} = 1$$

Question 2 C

$$\begin{aligned} y &= \frac{x^3 + 4x}{4x^2} = \frac{x}{4} + \frac{1}{x} \\ \Rightarrow x = 0 &\text{ is a vertical asymptote} \\ \Rightarrow y = \frac{x}{4} &\text{ is an asymptote} \end{aligned}$$

The graph has a turning point in the first quadrant and a turning point in the third quadrant.

Question 4 E

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } u &= \frac{4}{3x} = \frac{4}{3}x^{-1} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{du}{dx} &= -\frac{4}{3}x^{-2} = \frac{-4}{3x^2} \\ y &= \cos^{-1} u \\ \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{du} &= \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-u^2}} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{dy}{du} \times \frac{du}{dx} = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{1-\frac{16}{9x^2}}} \times \frac{-4}{3x^2} \\ &= \frac{4}{3x^2} \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{\frac{9x^2-16}{9x^2}}} \\ &= \frac{4}{3x^2} \times \frac{3x}{\sqrt{9x^2-16}} \\ &= \frac{4}{x\sqrt{9x^2-16}} \end{aligned}$$

Question 5 D

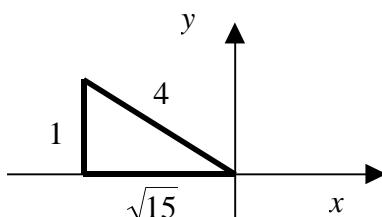
$$\operatorname{cosec}(x) = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\sin x} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow \sin x = \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan x = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{15}} \text{ (second quadrant)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \cot x = -\sqrt{15}$$



Question 6 D

$$y = \tan^{-1}(x) \text{ domain}$$

$$R \text{ range } \left(-\frac{\pi}{2}, \frac{\pi}{2}\right)$$

Hence,

$$y = a \tan^{-1}(bx) + c$$

$$\text{range } \left(-\frac{a\pi}{2} + c, \frac{a\pi}{2} + c\right)$$

Question 7 E

$$z = x + iy$$

$$\bar{z} = x - iy$$

$\Rightarrow z - \bar{z} = 2iy$ which is not a real number

Question 9 A

$$\alpha = 1 - 2i$$

$$\beta = 1 + 2i$$

$$\alpha + \beta = 2$$

$$\alpha\beta = 1 - 4i^2 = 5$$

so $z^2 - 2z + 5$ is a factor

$$\Rightarrow (z+w)(z^2 - 2z + 5) = z^3 + az^2 + bz - 10$$

$$\Rightarrow w = -2$$

$$\Rightarrow (z-2)(z^2 - 2z + 5) = z^3 - 4z^2 + 9z - 10$$

$$\Rightarrow a = -4 \text{ and } b = 9$$

Question 11 E

Using TI-83 calculator

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$$\text{fnInt}(Y_1, X, 1, 3) = -0.7312$$

Question 13 A

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x \tan^{-1}(x)) = \tan^{-1}(x) + \frac{x}{1+x^2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \tan^{-1}(x) dx + \int \frac{x}{1+x^2} dx = x \tan^{-1}(x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \tan^{-1}(x) dx = x \tan^{-1}(x) - \int \frac{x}{1+x^2} dx$$

$$\Rightarrow \int \tan^{-1}(x) dx = x \tan^{-1}(x) - \frac{1}{2} \log_e(1+x^2)$$

Question 8 D

$$\bar{u} = a + bi$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{\bar{u}} = \frac{1}{a+bi} \times \frac{a-bi}{a-bi}$$

$$= \frac{a-bi}{a^2 - b^2 i^2}$$

$$= \frac{a-bi}{a^2 + b^2}$$

Question 10 D

Checking each alternative.

$$\text{A. } 2\text{cis}(-150^\circ) = 2\cos(-150^\circ) + i2\sin(-150^\circ) = -\sqrt{3} - i$$

$$\text{B. } 2\text{cis}\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right) = 2\cos\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right) + i2\sin\left(\frac{7\pi}{6}\right) = -\sqrt{3} - i$$

$$\text{C. } -2\text{cis}\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -2\cos\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) - i2\sin\left(\frac{\pi}{6}\right) = -\sqrt{3} - i$$

$$\text{D. } -2\text{cis}\left(\frac{5\pi}{6}\right) = -2\cos\left(\frac{5\pi}{6}\right) - i2\sin\left(\frac{5\pi}{6}\right) = \sqrt{3} + i$$

$$\text{E. } 2\text{cis}\left(\frac{-5\pi}{6}\right) = 2\cos\left(\frac{-5\pi}{6}\right) + i2\sin\left(\frac{-5\pi}{6}\right) = -\sqrt{3} - i$$

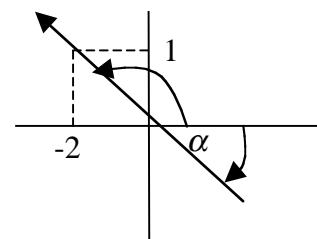
So D is not correct

Question 12 C

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right) = -\tan^{-1}\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \text{ since } \alpha < 0$$

$$-\pi < \arg(z) \leq \pi \text{ so}$$

$$\arg(z) = \pi + \tan^{-1}\left(-\frac{1}{2}\right)$$



Question 13 A

Centre $c(-5, 5)$

$$c = -5 + 5i \text{ radius } r = 5$$

$$|z - c| = r$$

$$|z + 5 - 5i| = 5 \text{ not D,E}$$

$$\text{circle also } (z - c)(\bar{z} - \bar{c}) = r^2$$

$$(z + 5 - 5i)(\bar{z} + 5 + 5i) = 25$$

$$\Rightarrow \{z : (z + 5 - 5i)(\bar{z} + 5 + 5i) = 25\}$$

Question 15 C

Points of intersection

$$4 \sin^2(2x) = 4 \cos^2(2x)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan^2(2x) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \tan(2x) = \pm 1$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = \frac{\pi}{4}, \frac{3\pi}{4}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{\pi}{8}, \frac{3\pi}{8}$$

By symmetry (shaded area)

$$\text{Area} = 2 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{8}} (4 \cos^2(2x) - 4 \sin^2(2x)) dx$$

$$= 8 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{8}} (\cos^2(2x) - \sin^2(2x)) dx$$

$$= 8 \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{8}} (\cos 4x) dx = 2 \sin 4x \Big|_0^{\frac{\pi}{8}}$$

$$= 2(\sin \frac{\pi}{2} - \sin 0) = 2$$

Question 17 D

Let $u = 3x$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = 3$$

$$\text{Terminals } x = \frac{4}{3} \quad u = 4; \quad x = 0 \quad u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \int_0^{\frac{4}{3}} \frac{dx}{\sqrt{64 - 9x^2}} = \frac{1}{3} \int_0^4 \frac{du}{\sqrt{64 - u^2}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left[\sin^{-1} \left(\frac{u}{8} \right) \right]_0^4$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \left[\sin^{-1} \frac{1}{2} \right] - 0$$

$$= \frac{1}{3} \times \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\pi}{18}$$

Question 16 D

$$\bar{a} = -\bar{i} + t \bar{j} + \bar{k}$$

$$\Rightarrow |\bar{a}| = 4 = \sqrt{1+t^2+1}$$

$$\Rightarrow 16 = (\sqrt{2+t^2})^2$$

$$\Rightarrow t^2 = 14$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \pm \sqrt{14} \text{ both answers OK}$$

Question 18 B

$$\bar{a} = \frac{1}{2}(\bar{i} - \bar{j} + z\bar{k})$$

$$\Rightarrow |\bar{a}| = \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{1+1+z^2} = \frac{\sqrt{z^2+2}}{2}$$

$$\cos 135^\circ = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{z/\sqrt{2}}{|\bar{a}|}$$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{2} = \frac{z}{\sqrt{z^2+2}} \text{ so } z < 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2z = -\sqrt{2}(\sqrt{z^2+2})$$

$$\Rightarrow 4z^2 = 2z^2 + 4$$

$$\Rightarrow z^2 = 2$$

$$\Rightarrow z = -\sqrt{2} \text{ since } z < 0$$

Question 19 A

$$\begin{aligned}x &= \sqrt{t} - 2 \\ \Rightarrow \sqrt{t} &= x + 2 \\ \Rightarrow t &= (x + 2)^2 \\ y &= 3t^2 \\ \Rightarrow y &= 3(x + 2)^2 \quad x \geq -2\end{aligned}$$

Question 21 C

$$\begin{aligned}S &= \int_0^{\frac{7}{4}} \frac{dt}{\sqrt{4t+9}} \\ \text{Let } u &= 4t+9 \\ \frac{du}{dt} &= 4 \\ \text{When } t = \frac{7}{4}, u &= 16 \quad \text{When } t = 0, u = 9 \\ \Rightarrow S &= \int_0^{\frac{7}{4}} \frac{dt}{\sqrt{4t+9}} = \int_9^{16} u^{-\frac{1}{2}} du = \frac{1}{2} u^{\frac{1}{2}} \Big|_9^{16} \\ \Rightarrow S &= \frac{1}{2} (\sqrt{16} - \sqrt{9}) = \frac{1}{2}\end{aligned}$$

Question 23 C

$$\begin{aligned}\overrightarrow{PQ} &= -\overrightarrow{PR} \\ \Rightarrow \overrightarrow{PQ} &= \overrightarrow{RP} \\ \text{They have a point in common } P \text{ so } P, Q, \text{ and } R \text{ are collinear.} \\ \text{Option (A) is true.} \quad R &\qquad Q \\ \Rightarrow |\overrightarrow{PQ}| &= 1 \quad \bullet \leftarrow \bullet \rightarrow \bullet \\ \text{Option (B) is true.} \quad \longleftrightarrow & 2 \quad \longrightarrow \end{aligned}$$

$$\overrightarrow{PQ} \cdot \overrightarrow{QR} = |\overrightarrow{PQ}| |\overrightarrow{QR}| \cos 180^\circ = 1 \times 1 \times -1 = -1$$

Option (E) is true.

\overrightarrow{PQ} is parallel to \overrightarrow{RP} .

Option (D) is true.

\overrightarrow{PQ} is not perpendicular to \overrightarrow{QR} .

Option (C) is false.

Question 20 C

$$\begin{aligned}m &= 2kg \quad a = 5m/s^2 \\ F &= F_1 + F_2 = ma = 10 \\ F_1 &= -yj \text{ and } y > 0 \\ F_2 &= 6\sqrt{2}(-i + j) \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} = 6(-i + j) \\ F_1 + F_2 &= -6i + (6 - y)j \\ \Rightarrow 10 &= |F_1 + F_2| = -6i - 8j \\ \Rightarrow 6 - y &= -8 \Rightarrow y = 14\end{aligned}$$

Question 22 C

$$\begin{aligned}\text{If } r_A(t) &= r_B(t) \\ t^2 - 5t + 6 &= 2t - 4 \\ \Rightarrow (t-3)(t-2) &= 2(t-2) \\ \Rightarrow \text{If } t = 2 \ i \text{ components are equal} \\ 2t - 6 &= t^2 - 8t + 15 \\ \Rightarrow 2(t-3) &= (t-3)(t-5) \\ \Rightarrow \text{If } t = 3 \ j \text{ components are equal} \\ \text{The two boats do not collide. Option (C) is true because to collide both } i \text{ and } j \text{ must be equal at the same time.}\end{aligned}$$

Question 24 B

$$\begin{aligned}x \frac{dx}{dy} &= \sqrt{4x^2 + 9} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{dx}{dy} &= \frac{\sqrt{4x^2 + 9}}{x} \\ \Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} &= \frac{x}{\sqrt{4x^2 + 9}}\end{aligned}$$

Use the Euler PRGM on the TI - 83

For $X_0 = 1$ $Y_0 = 2$ $X_N = 2$ $H = 0.5$

Value of $y = 2.3155$

Question 25 A

$$x = 1 + \frac{1}{t} = 1 + t^{-1}$$

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = -t^{-2}$$

$$y = \sqrt{12 + t^2}$$

$$\frac{dy}{dt} = 2 \times \frac{1}{2} \times t \times \frac{1}{\sqrt{12 + t^2}} = \frac{t}{\sqrt{12 + t^2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{dy}{dt} \times \frac{dt}{dx} = \frac{-t^3}{\sqrt{12 + t^2}}$$

$$\text{For } t = 2, \frac{dy}{dx} = \frac{-8}{\sqrt{16}} = -2$$

Question 27 E

$$\cos 2x = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 2x = \pm \frac{\pi}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \pm \frac{\pi}{4}$$

$$V = \pi \int_{-\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} y^2 dx = \pi \int_{-\frac{\pi}{4}}^{\frac{\pi}{4}} 9 \cos^2 2x dx$$

$$= 18\pi \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} \cos^2 2x dx$$

$$= 9\pi \int_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}} (1 - \cos 4x) dx$$

$$= 9\pi \left[x - \frac{1}{4} \sin 4x \right]_0^{\frac{\pi}{4}}$$

$$= 9\pi \left[\left(\frac{\pi}{4} - \frac{1}{4} \sin \pi \right) - (0 - 0) \right]$$

$$= \frac{9\pi^2}{4}$$

Note: $\pi xfnInt(Y_1^2, X, 0, \frac{\pi}{4}) \times 2 = 22.206$

Question 26 C

For $x = 0$

$$x < 0 \quad \frac{dy}{dx} > 0$$

$$x > 0 \quad \frac{dy}{dx} < 0$$

$x = 0$ is a local maximum

For $x = 4$

$$x < 4 \quad \frac{dy}{dx} < 0$$

$$x > 4 \quad \frac{dy}{dx} < 0$$

$x = 4$ is a stationary of inflection

Question 28 E

$$\tilde{a}(t) = \frac{3\pi}{2} \cos\left(\frac{\pi t}{2}\right) \tilde{i} - \pi \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{2}\right) \tilde{j}$$

Integrating

$$\tilde{r}(t) = 3 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{2}\right) \tilde{i} + 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi t}{2}\right) \tilde{j} + \tilde{c}$$

$$\tilde{r}(0) = 2\tilde{j} + \tilde{c} = 6\tilde{j}$$

$$\tilde{c} = 4\tilde{j}$$

$$\tilde{r}(t) = 3 \sin\left(\frac{\pi t}{2}\right) \tilde{i} + (4 + 2 \cos\left(\frac{\pi t}{2}\right)) \tilde{j}$$

$$\tilde{r}(1) = 3\tilde{i} + 4\tilde{j}$$

$$\tilde{p} = m\tilde{r}(1)$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{p} = 2(3\tilde{i} + 4\tilde{j})$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{p} = 6\tilde{i} + 8\tilde{j}$$

Question 29 B

$$Q = Q(t) = 3(50 + 2t) + C(50 + 2t)^n$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{dQ}{dt} = 6 + 2Cn(50 + 2t)^{n-1} \quad \dots(1)$$

$$\text{Also } \frac{dQ}{dt} = 12 - \frac{2}{(50 + 2t)} [3(50 + 2t) + C(50 + 2t)^n]$$

$$= 12 - 6 - 2C(50 + 2t)^{n-1}$$

$$= 6 - 2C(50 + 2t)^{n-1} \quad \dots(2)$$

Equating (1) and (2)

$$6 + 2Cn(50 + 2t)^{n-1} = 6 - 2C(50 + 2t)^{n-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow n = -1$$

Question 30 B

Displacement = area under the graph

$$= \int_0^2 (10 - t^2) dt + \frac{1}{2} \times 2 \times 6 + (\frac{1}{2} \times 4 \times -12)$$

$$= 10t - \frac{1}{3}t^3 \Big|_0^2 + 6 - 24$$

$$= 20 - \frac{8}{3} + 6 - 24$$

$$= -\frac{2}{3}$$

$\frac{2}{3}$ m from starting point

Question 1

i.

Using TI - 83

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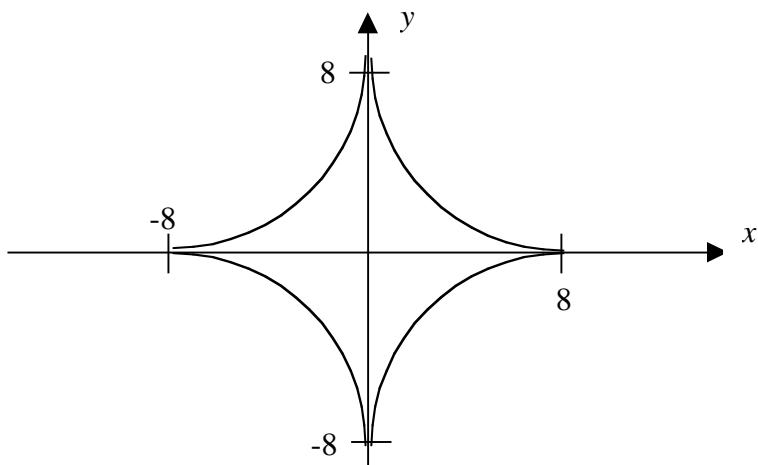
$$X_{IT} = 8(\cos(2T))^3$$

$$Y_{IT} = 8(\sin(2T))^3$$

WINDOW

$$X_{\min} = -10 \quad X_{\max} = 10$$

$$Y_{\min} = -10 \quad Y_{\max} = 10$$



Question 1

ii.

$$x = 8\cos^3 2t$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{x}{8} = \cos^3 2t$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{1}{x^3}}{2} = \cos 2t$$

$$y = 8\sin^3 2t$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{y}{8} = \sin^3 2t$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{1}{y^3}}{2} = \sin 2t$$

$$\sin^2 2t + \cos^2 2t = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\frac{2}{y^3}}{4} + \frac{\frac{2}{x^3}}{4} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow x^{\frac{2}{3}} + y^{\frac{2}{3}} = 4$$

$$\Rightarrow n = \frac{2}{3} \quad a = 4$$

Question 1

iii.

$$\tilde{r}(t) = 8\cos^3 2t \tilde{i} + 8\sin^3 2t \tilde{j} \quad t \geq 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \tilde{r}(t) = -48\cos^2 2t \sin 2t \tilde{i} + 48\sin^2 2t \cos 2t \tilde{j}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|\tilde{r}(t)\| = \sqrt{48^2 \cos^4 2t \sin^2 2t + 48^2 \sin^4 2t \cos^2 2t}$$

$$= \sqrt{48^2 \cos^2 2t \sin^2 2t (\cos^2 2t + \sin^2 2t)}$$

$$= 48 \cos 2t \sin 2t$$

$$= 24 \sin 4t$$

$$c = 24 \quad b = 4$$

Question 2 i.

$$\begin{aligned}P(z) &= z^3 + (2+3i)z^2 + 5z + 10 + 15i \\P(-2-3i) &= (-2-3i)^3 + (2+3i)(-2-3i)^2 + 5(-2-3i) + 10 + 15i \\&= -(2+3i)^3 + (2+3i)^3 - 10 - 15i + 10 + 15i \\&= 0\end{aligned}$$

Hence, $z+2+3i$ is a factor.

Question 2 ii.

$$\begin{aligned}z^3 + (2+3i)z^2 + 5z + 10 + 15i &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow z^2[z+2+3i] + 5[z+2+3i] &= 0 \text{ grouping} \\ \Rightarrow (z+2+3i)(z^2+5) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow (z+2+3i)(z+\sqrt{5}i)(z-\sqrt{5}i) &= 0 \\ \Rightarrow z &= -2-3i, \pm\sqrt{5}i\end{aligned}$$

Question 3 i.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{When } x=0, y=1 &= \frac{c}{32} \\ \text{Hence, } c &= 32 \\ -x^2 + bx + 32 &= (8-x)(x+4) = 0 \\ \Rightarrow -x^2 + bx + 32 &= -x^2 + 4x + 32 = 0 \\ \text{Hence, } b &= 4\end{aligned}$$

Question 3 ii.

$$\begin{aligned}y &= \frac{x+32}{-x^2+4x+32} = \frac{A}{8-x} + \frac{B}{x+4} \\ &= \frac{A(x+4)+B(8-x)}{(8-x)(x+4)} \\ \text{Now } x+32 &= A(x+4) + B(8-x) \\ \text{If } x=-4, 28 &= 12B \Rightarrow B = \frac{7}{3} \\ \text{If } x=8, 40 &= 12A \Rightarrow A = \frac{10}{3} \\ y &= \frac{x+32}{-x^2+4x+32} = \frac{10}{3(8-x)} + \frac{7}{3(x+4)}\end{aligned}$$

Question 3 iii.

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Area} &= \int_0^4 \frac{x+32}{-x^2+4x+32} dx = p \log_e 2 \\ &= \int_0^4 \left(\frac{10}{3(8-x)} + \frac{7}{3(x+4)} \right) dx \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \left[7 \log_e (x+4) - 10 \log_e (8-x) \right]_0^4 \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \left[7 \log_e 8 - 10 \log_e 4 - 7 \log_e 4 + 10 \log_e 8 \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \left[7 \log_e \frac{8}{4} + 10 \log_e \frac{8}{4} \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{3} [7 \log_e 2 + 10 \log_e 2] \\ &= \frac{17}{3} \log_e 2 = p \log_e 2 \Rightarrow p = \frac{17}{3} \\ \text{check fnInt}(Y_1, X, 0, 4) &= 3.928\end{aligned}$$

Question 4

$$\text{Let } u = \frac{2}{x} = 2x^{-1}$$

$$\frac{du}{dx} = -2x^{-2} = -\frac{2}{x^2}$$

$$dx = \frac{-x^2 du}{2}$$

Terminals

$$x = \frac{12}{\pi} \Rightarrow u = 2 \times \frac{\pi}{12} = \frac{\pi}{6}$$

$$x = \frac{6}{\pi} \Rightarrow u = 2 \times \frac{\pi}{6} = \frac{\pi}{3}$$

$$\int_{\frac{6}{\pi}}^{\frac{12}{\pi}} \frac{4 \cos\left(\frac{2}{x}\right)}{x^2} dx = \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{6}} 4 \cos(u) \cdot \frac{-x^2 du}{2}$$

$$= -2 \int_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{6}} \cos(u) du$$

$$= -2 \sin u \Big|_{\frac{\pi}{3}}^{\frac{\pi}{6}}$$

$$= -2 \left[\sin \frac{\pi}{6} - \sin \frac{\pi}{3} \right]$$

$$= -2 \left[\frac{1}{2} - \frac{\sqrt{3}}{2} \right]$$

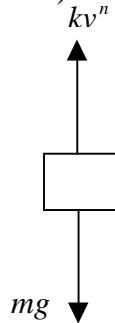
$$= \sqrt{3} - 1$$

$$\text{check fnInt}(Y_1, X, \frac{6}{\pi}, \frac{12}{\pi}) = 0.732$$

Question 5 i.

By Newton's Law (taking down as positive)
 $\sum F = ma = mg - kv^n$

$$\Rightarrow a = g - \frac{k}{m} v^n$$



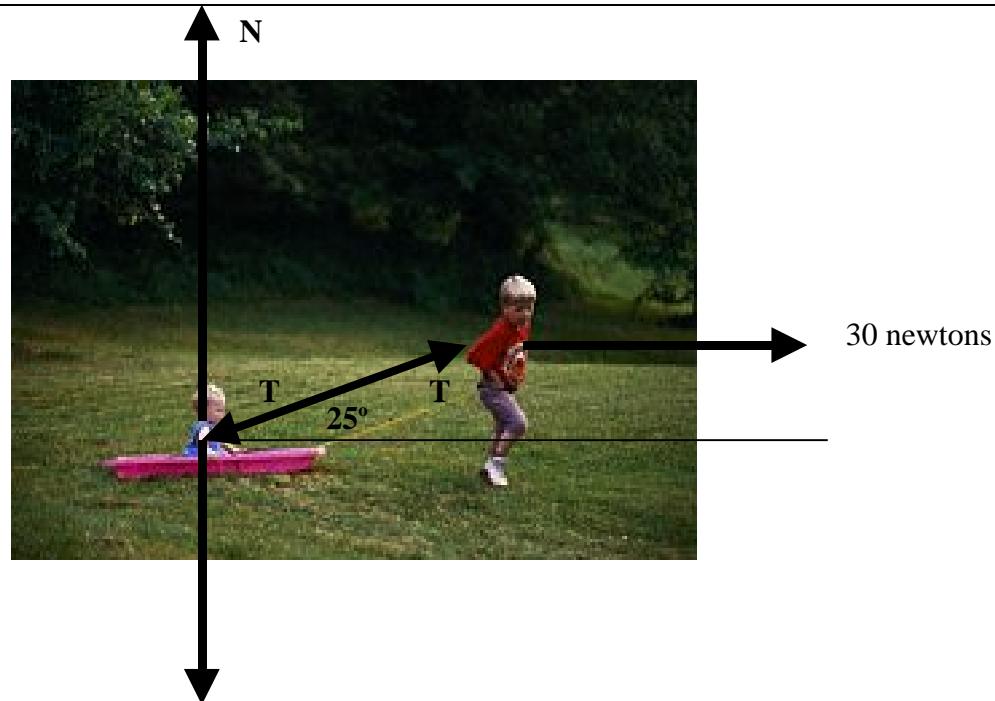
Question 5 ii.

$$a = v \frac{dv}{dx} = g - \frac{k}{m} v^n$$

$$x = \int_0^{v_f} \frac{v dv}{g - \frac{k}{m} v^n} = \int_0^2 \frac{v dv}{9.8 - \frac{0.5}{2} v^3}$$

$$\text{fnInt}(X / (9.8 - 0.25 X^3), X, 0, 2) = 0.223 \text{ m}$$

Question 6



$$\text{Boy: } 30 - T \cos 25^\circ = 35a \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Girl: } T \cos 25^\circ = 20a \quad (2)$$

Add (1) and (2)

$$\Rightarrow 30 = 55a \Rightarrow a = \frac{6}{11} \text{ m/s}^2$$

$$\text{Hence, } T = \frac{20a}{\cos 25^\circ} = \frac{20 \times \frac{6}{11}}{\cos 25^\circ} = 12.04 \text{ Newtons}$$

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